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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 26, 2005,
petition and payment for a two month extension of time being attached
with the RCE filed contemporaneously with this amendment, please amend
as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which
begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.